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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: HOU ET AL. Examiner: B. TRAN  
Serial No.: 10/560,401 Group Art Unit: 3748  
Filed: AUGUST 4, 2006 Docket No.: 758.1509USWO  
Title: METHOD OF DISPENSING FUEL INTO TRANSIENT FLOW OF AN  
EXHAUST SYSTEM

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

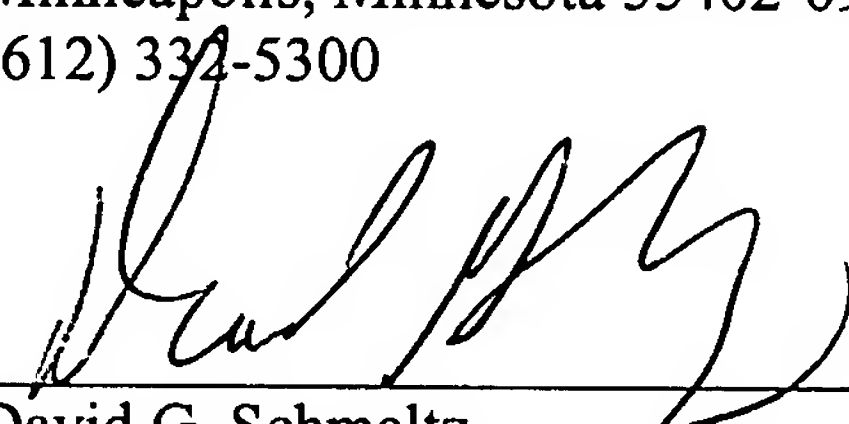
In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office communication mailed February 22, 2007, the period of response being extended from May 22, 2007 to July 22, 2007.

Our check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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